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City Schools Have Auspicious Opening--Heavy Enrollment

There was a large attendance at the South Main street school opening this morning. The exercises were conducted by Rev. E. C. Caldwell, D. D., of Austin, Texas, Rev. P. H. Fleming and Rev. Lewis W. McFarland. Addresses were made by Mayor F. N. Tate in behalf of the city, J. J. Farriss in behalf of the trustees, by Prof. John Blair, of the Wilmington city schools, and by Supt. Thornwell Haynes. A spirit of intense interest and enthusiasm seemed to pervade the air, and pupils and teachers after their restful vacations are ready and eager to begin the work of the year. The high school now belongs to Class A, and so fulfills the college entrance requirements.

The Elm Street School.
Down at the Elm street school the children stood crowded together in the lower hall, eager, happy faced children ready for the new year of work before them. Standing on the stair were Prof. Sneed, the principal; Rev. A. G. Dixon, Rev. Mr. Barnhardt, Mrs. Dixon and a number of the teachers. The exercises were opened with singing "Come thou Almighty King." This was followed by a short address of welcome by Rev. A. G. Dixon, and Rev. Mr. Barnhardt, a little talk on the principle of obedience was then made by Mrs. Dixon, then in behalf of the trustees Mr. A. E. Tate spoke to the children, urged them to be good boys and girls, and dwelt particularly on the evil of the cigarette. Mr. Tate did not exact any promise from the boys, but said he wished they'd promise themselves to let this great evil alone.

A closing prayer by Mrs. Dixon and the singing of America concluded the exercises. Most of the speakers emphasized the need of an auditorium at the Elm street school, and hoped that before the beginning of another school year, a comfortable one could be provided for the pupils who now upon occasions when they must be together are crowded standing up in the lower hall.

Third Ward School.
Down at the Third Ward school there was a large attendance, one grade, the 4th, coming over from Park street because of the crowded condition over there. Rev. L. A. Peeler made an appropriate talk to the children and teachers.

Park Street School.
At the Park street school the exercises were opened by Rev. J. M. Hilliard, who was assisted by Rev. Mr. Williams. This school is full to overflowing, and the old and new teachers hope to equal their splendid record of last year; the Park street school then took the prize offered by the Woman's Club for the most well kept school building.

In round numbers there were 1700 white school children enrolled today. The colored school opens on Thursday.

SO. BELL MAKES IMPORTANT EXTENSION.

A new Farmers' Line has just been constructed to Glenola and connected with So. Bell Tel. Co. of this place. It furnishes service to the following farmers: R. B. Spencer, Allen J. Spencer, Joe Spencer, Eugene Spencer, S. S. Eldridge, Ed. L. Tomlinson, Miss Alice Davis, Davis Bros., Mrs. Jennie Coltrane.

We can all unite to make the visit by the children of the Singing Class from the Oxford Orphanage to our town pleasant to them and to ourselves, as well as of great benefit to the cause they represent.

Capture of Sidna Allen and Wesley Edwards

Des Moines, Ia., Sept. 14.—Sidna Allen, leader of the Allen clan, which shot up the Carroll county court at Hillsville, Va., March 11, killing Judge Massie, and others, and his nephew, Wesley Edwards, tonight are manacled in cells at the city jail as a result of love affairs which led detectives to them. Both have announced their willingness to return to Virginia without restriction.

Edwards Pinched on Street Car

Edwards, for the love of whom Miss Maude Iroler, of Mount Airy, N. C., had innocently led detectives to Des Moines, was captured tonight as he was returning to his boarding house, after having worked all day with a paving



SIDNA ALLEN
Who, with his nephew, Wesley Edwards, was the last of the notorious Hillsville outlaws to be arrested.

gang. Just as he boarded a street car, detectives and officers surrounded it. Edwards was trying to escape by crawling through the front end of the car, when officers caught him. The arrest of Sidna Allen was effected earlier in the day.

Lost Letter Led to Location

A visit by Edwards to Miss Iroler in her Virginia home about a month ago, and the accidental loss of a letter put the detectives on the trail. The fugitives had been in Des Moines since April 28. Allen, under the name of Tom Sayre, worked as a carpenter and Edwards, under the name of Joe Jackson, was employed with a city paving gang.

Allen was arrested at the home of John Cameron at 11th and Locust streets where he and his nephew had been rooming, by Detectives Baldwin, Lucas and Mundy, of Roanoke, Va.

Was to Wed Last Night

The arrest occurred a few minutes after Miss Iroler stepped to the Cameron home to meet Edwards whom she was to wed tonight, according to an arrangement made when he visited her in Virginia.

Detective Lucas was at her heels. Allen was in an upper room. When informed that visitors wanted to see him he came down stairs.

Admits His Identity.

"I guess I'm your man." Allen was handcuffed and placed under a guard of city detectives, while Colonel Baldwin and Chief Jenney of the local department went in search of Edwards, who was said to be at work in the western part of the city.

Apparently Edwards heard that his uncle had been captured, because he was not to be found until tonight.

Thought Sweetheart Was in High Point

The detectives learned that his sweetheart, Miss Iroler, was preparing to leave on a trip and kept

Brooks and Kitchin

The senatorial campaign is in reality just beginning. Hon. A. L. Brooks and Hon. Claude Kitchin will take the stump in a few days in behalf of Governor Kitchin. They are among the strongest campaigners in the South, fearless and convincing. They will be here in about two weeks.

SOUTH HIGH POINT REGISTRATION.

J. F. Hoffman registrar for the new railroad for South High Point will be at Silman's store Tuesday night and at Bradner's store Wednesday night for the convenience of voters in that part of the town.

NEW CLUB STARTS WITH 800 DEMOCRATS

A goodly number of Democrats assembled in the courthouse Saturday night and organized a Wilson-Marshall-Craige campaign club.

The organization was perfected by the election of the following permanent officers: President, E. D. Broadhurst; vice-president, L. J. Brandt; secretary and treasurer, Everett B. King.

The club starts with an enrolled membership of 800, and by the next meeting, the time to be named by the president, it was stated that a speaker of national reputation would be secured to make the address.

SUN BROTHERS' WORLD'S PROGRESSIVE SHOWS.

All New and Better Than Ever.

The citizens of High Point will be afforded the opportunity of witnessing the Great Sun Brothers' Shows next Saturday, Sept. 21. The show this season is all new and serves to exhibit a gigantic zoology display, in which are seen the finest and most select specimens of the animal kingdom. The Big Top program is an imperial character and latter day formation, and introduces many of the very greatest performers ever brought to this country for exhibition purposes. Japan sends the magnificent Royal Imperial Court Company. These Oriental marvels appear in a diversity of sensational acrobatic and risky accomplishments, odd jugglery, aerialistics, top spinning, etc. The costuming of their varied specialties are said to be of an unusually ornate and brilliant kind.

England sends the famous equestrian show. The special, or big display, acts star, Mr. James Fish, Jr., who will be assisted by Miss Adele Dutton, the dainty arenic beauty. This duo appear in a new novelty carriage act, that has never before been duplicated, magnificent costuming and beautiful horses also characterize this display. The other foreign features include the renowned Cevene Troupe, a quintette of high tight wire marvels from France; the Electric De Kamos, remarkable mid-air teeth artists, in a new creation styled "the Human Butterfly's"; the Mexican Juan De Zamora family, thrilling aerialists.

Some fifty or more American performers also participate, forming in all one of the biggest and most satisfying arenic programs offered. Two performances will be given during the engagement here, afternoon at 2 and at night at 8. Doors open one hour earlier.

watch. She told her family she was going to visit friends in High Point, N. C. She left home last Tuesday evening. Mr. Iroler seemed greatly relieved to hear of Wesley Edwards' capture, as he declared he bitterly opposed his daughter's marriage to him because of the part he took in the Hillsville tragedy. Mr. Iroler does not know that his daughter went to Ioda. He thought she was in High Point, N. C.

John M. Harrell's Absence Causes Anxiety

The mysterious disappearance of our well known young townsman, Mr. J. M. Harrell, since last Thursday week, twelve days ago, has stirred the people of High Point as nothing else has done for many years. Mr. Harrell in his leaving neither made his intentions of going or his destination known to anyone, keeping the matter even from his wife, his office employees and business friends who know nothing whatever of his purpose in leaving, or his whereabouts.

LEFT FIRST FOR GREENSBORO.

He left his home here on Thursday morning, September 5, in the usual way, about 8 o'clock in the morning and came down town to his office. After attending to his morning mail he left for Greensboro on train No. 22 but came through High Point on train No. 35 that same afternoon, going south, having been seen by Mr. Will Ragsdale of Jamestown. This was the last seen or heard of Mr. Harrell, and this was train No. 35 that same evening, twelve days ago.

The Enterprise has been averse to making the matter public, in the hope of Mr. Harrell's return, as he held the confidence of his friends here some of whom thought he would return. But up to this time no word has been received from him.

INSURANCE MEN ARRIVE.

Even before it became generally known that he was absent from his office, representatives of the various fire insurance companies arrived in High Point from day to day to look after the business of the respective companies represented here by Mr. Harrell. All of the companies have representative here today looking to the continuance of their various agencies, with the view of continuing the agencies.

REPRESENTED LARGE COMPANIES.

Among the fire insurance companies the partnership represented were the Home, Hartford, German-American, Aetna, Fidelity, Phoenix, London Assurance, Providence Washington, Niagara, Underwriters of Greensboro, and probably other representative companies.

Mr. Harrell did a large business with the Prudential Life Insurance Co., while among the liability companies he was special agent for the Maryland Casualty Co., the Fidelity Casualty Co., and the well known bonding corporation of the U. S. Fidelity and Guaranty Company. With all of these representative companies Mr. Harrell is presumed to have done a very prosperous business.

STATEMENT EXPECTED

It is expected that a statement concerning the business of the insurance agency here will be made some time soon by representatives of the various companies who are now on the ground.

Orphan's Concert

Attend the Concert by the boys and girls from the Oxford Orphanage. The entertainments they give are always attractive and helpful. The children are well trained. The program for the concert this year is a delightful one. Those who have heretofore heard the children will make an effort to hear them again. Now let us try to get others to attend. We can thus help our friends and the Orphan cause.

Miss Agnes Moore, of Mount Holly, New Jersey, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Moore.

Local Briefs

Miss Helen McCarthy, the settlement worker of the Social Service Department of the Woman's Club is in town again after her three months vacation. A later notice will tell just when the settlement rooms will be open for club work.

Mrs. Oscar Kearns, Miss Nan Kearns, and Master Tom Kearns have returned from a pleasure trip to Baltimore and Washington.

Mrs. C. J. Covington after a visit to her daughter, Mrs. John Sicheloff, has returned to her home in Baltimore.

Miss Lillian Raper has gone to Apex where she is to be the head milliner at one of this growing town's large stores.

Dr. A. P. Staley is in Thomasville today.

Mrs. E. S. Hutchinson is home from Baltimore.

A. C. Staley has been quite sick at his home for several days.

Andrew Lindsay, Rodney Snow, and Randall Mann leave tomorrow for Staunton Military Academy in Virginia.

C. C. Keiger, of Tobaccoville, left today for Richmond to begin his third year of dentistry at the University College of Medicine.

John Young went to Lexington today.

The revival meetings at the South Main Street M. E. church started out well yesterday. The congregations were large at both services. Rev. S. H. Hilliard preached a powerful sermon last night and the response was very encouraging. Services every night at 7:30. Everybody welcome.

GOOD LOOKING MAYOR

The Times-Dispatch, of Richmond, contains a number of portraits of the mayors of North Carolina cities and towns through which the Richmond Booster Train expects to pass. A gentleman said to the Enterprise that Mayor Tate's picture is easily the most distinguished looking of the "bunch."

DELIGHTFUL GARDEN PARTY

On Saturday afternoon between five and six o'clock the beautiful lawn at Dr. W. G. Bradshaw's home was the scene of one of the most charming social events of the summer, the occasion being the reception given by Miss Blanche Bradshaw and Mrs. J. J. Farriss in honor of Mrs. Dalton and Mrs. Dinsmore, two of High Point's popular visitors.

The green lawn surrounded by the high hedge was a fitting background for the light summer frocks of the hostesses and guests as they fitted to and fro chatting of affairs of interest.

The guests were met at the porte cochere by Miss Helen Brockett and Mrs. J. D. Cox, then graciously received by Mrs. J. J. Farriss, Miss Bradshaw, Mrs. Dalton, Mrs. Dinsmore and Mrs. C. M. Hauser. Mrs. J. W. Harris directed the guests to a summer house a short distance away hidden under clinging grape vines where Miss Edith Bradshaw and Clara Stanton dispensed iced-tea and sandwiches. Mrs. Arthur Lyon next lead the guests to the extreme end of the grounds where beneath a green arch way in the beautiful box hedge Mrs. T. J. Gold and Mrs. C. L. Wheeler served delicious frozen punch with small cakes.

High Point has so many lovely lawns that it is well that Mrs. Farriss and Miss Bradshaw have begun this delightful form of entertaining.

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